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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 0501

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, JA
SUBJECT: JAPANESE DATA FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

REF: (A) STATE 105404, (B) TOKYO 14435, (C) STATE 200991

1. CY 1976 (77) PER 1000/MT

COMMODITY	IMPORTS	CONSUMPTION
ALUMINUM INGOT	337(407)	1,608(1,419)
COOPER BARS	201(205)	1,050(1,127)
NAPTHA (PER 1000 KL)	7,998(8,256) ,3)	34,876(35,283)
POLYETHYLENE	1(1)	1,423(1,484)
POLYSTYRENE UNCLASSIFIED	2(5)	788(816)

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ETHYLENE	3(7)	552(536)
PVC RESIN	15(11)	1,010(1,010)
CAUSTIC SODA	.7(47.7)	1,683(1,678)

AMMONIUM PHOSPHATE 162(170) 190(243)
(ALMOST ALL DAP)

2. POLYETHYLENE DOMESTIC MARKET PRICE RANGES FROM YEN
180-210,000/MT.

3. PRICE DATA FOR CAUSTIC SODA QUOTED REF B IS FOR
LIQUID SODA. SOLID SODA DOMESTIC PRICE IS YEN 40-50,000/
MT; CIF IMPORTS ARE \$230/MT. VARIANCE IN DOMESTIC LIQUID
SODA PRICING REFLECTS WIDE DIFFERENCES IN GRADES, SIZE
OF ORDERS, AND SOURCES OF SUPPLY.

4. WE HAVE NO EXACT PERCENTAGE FOR DAP SHARE OF AMMONIUM
PHOSPHATE IMPORTS. MANSFIELD

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